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	AJ	2002-295953	10/9/02	Japan			Abstract only	
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EXPLANATIONS OF RELEVANCY OF REFERENCES	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	APPLICATION NO.
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Korean document numbers 10-176936 2001-261654, are generally related to Refrigerators.

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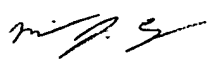
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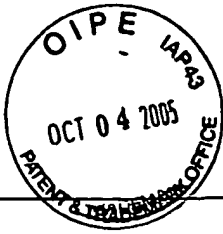
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It is requested that the Examiner acknowledge his consideration of document(s) below-listed by initialing same in the space provided adjacent each such application and that the Examiner sign and date this form at the bottom thereof to confirm such consideration having been given.

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